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July 20, 2004

Ms. Alissa V. Sangri,
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Dear Ms. Sangri:

I received your inquiry of June 23, 2004, regarding the report of the Fairfax County Democratic Committee for the period July 1, 2003, to December 31, 2003. A copy of your letter is enclosed.

You asked for itemization of information concerning salary and wages on Schedule B supporting line 30(b) of the Detailed Summary Page. Your observation is correct that we report no salary or wages in our report.

The Fairfax County Democratic Committee is staffed entirely with uncompensated volunteers, and there are no salaried or wage employees paid by others who devote any part of their compensated time as committee volunteers. I hope you find this clarification responsive to your inquiry.

If you would like to discuss this or any other matter relative to the reports of the Fairfax County Democratic Committee, I would be pleased to make an appointment to meet with you in your office.

Sincerety,

Bruce H. Neilson, Treasurer

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June 23, 2004

Bruce Neilson, Treasurer Fairfax County Democratic Committee - Federal 7245 Arlington Boulevard Falls Church, VA 22042

Response Due Date: July 23, 2004

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Year End Report (7/01/03-12/31/03)

Dear Mr. Neilson:

This letter is prompted by the Commission's preliminary review of the report(s) referenced above. This notice requests information essential to full public disclosure of your federal election campaign finances. An adequate response must be received at the Commission by the response date noted above. An itemization of the information needed follows:

-Your report does not disclose any payments for salary or wages on Schedule B supporting Line 30(b) of the Detailed Summary Page. 11 CFR §100.24 defines as Federal Election Activity, services provided by an employee of a State, district or local party committee who spends more than 25 percent of their time during that month on activities in connection with a Federal election. You are advised that payments for salaries and wages for employees who spend more than 25 percent of their compensated time in a given month on Federal Election Activity or activities in connection with a Federal election must be made with Federal funds only. Please provide clarification regarding the lack of payments for salary and wages disclosed by your committee.

Unlike previous election cycles, you will not receive an additional notice from the Commission on this matter. Adequate responses received on or before this date will be taken into consideration in determining whether audit action will be initiated. Requests for extensions of time in which to respond will not be considered. Failure to provide an adequate response by this date may result in an audit of the committee. Failure to comply with the provisions of the Act may also result in an enforcement action against the committee. Any response submitted by your committee will be placed on the public record and will be considered by the Commission prior to taking enforcement action.

Electronic filers must file amendments (to include statements, designations and reports) in an electronic format and must submit an amended report in its entirety, rather than just those portions of the report that are being amended. If you should have any questions regarding this matter or wish to verify the adequacy of your response, please contact me on our toll-free number (800) 424-9530 (at the prompt press 1, then press 2 to reach the Reports Analysis Division) or my local number (202) 694-1153.

Sincerely,

Alissa V. Sagri

Campaign Finance Analyst Reports Analysis Division

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